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Dear allen nesbitt,

This is in response to your 03/15/2018 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request number SBA-2018-000564. You requested To Whom It May Concern: Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, I hereby request the following records: - All communications of any type whatsoever regarding office renovations, furnishings, or office decoration of all agency political appointees requiring Senate confirmation. - All documents regarding office renovations and office decorations (including itemized expenses or expense reports) of all agency political appointees requiring Senate confirmation. The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes. In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not. Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 20 business days, as the statute requires. Sincerely, allen nesbitt.

Attached are responsive records totaling ___ pages. We are releasing these pages to you in full with no redactions. As this is considered a full grant, and we are closing your request in this office. Because your FOIA request relates to your scholarly research at your educational institution, there are no assessable processing fees. See [13 C.F.R. §102.6\(b\)\(6\)](#).

-OR-

Although you are considered a commercial use requester, this response is provided to you without charge because our cost of processing your FOIA request was less than \$25. Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) 40 03 3, "Disclosure of Information" (August 4, 2004), ¶13-1.a(4).

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Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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